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Order

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## State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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July 23, 2020



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#### NON-STANDARD LOCATION

**Administrative Order NSL-8034** 

Devon Energy Production L.P. [OGRID 6137] Throughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 711H API No. 30-015-46477

#### **Proposed Location**

_	<b>Footages</b>	Unit/Lot	Sec.	Twsp	Range	County_
Surface	220 FSL & 350 FWL	M	10	26S	31E	Eddy
First Take Point	330 FSL & 330 FWL	M	10	26S	31E	Eddy
Last Take Point	2565 FSL & 330 FWL	L	3	26S	31E	Eddy
Terminus	2645 FSL & 330 FWL	L	3	26S	31E	Eddy

#### **Proposed Horizontal Gas Units**

<b>Description</b>	Acres	Pool	Pool Code
W/2 W/2 of Section 10	240	Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (GAS)	98220
W/2 SW/4 of Section 3			

Reference is made to your application received on July 1, 2020.

You have requested to complete this horizontal well as a gas well described above in the referenced pool or formation. This well is governed by special rules for the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool of and provides for 320-acre units, with wells located at least 330 feet from a unit outer boundary.

This well's completed interval is as close as 75 feet to the northern edge. Encroachment will impact the following tract.

Section 3, encroachment to the W/2 NW/4

The Division understands you have given notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Paragraph (8) Subsection A of 19.15.2.7 NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

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Division understands you are seeking this unorthodox location in order to optimize well spacing and thereby preventing waste within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the W/2 of Section 10 and the W/2 SW/4 of Section 3.

Your application has been filed under 19.15.16.15(C)(6) NMAC, 19.15.15.13 NMAC and 19.15.4.12 (A)(2) NMAC.

Per Subsection B of 19.15.15.13 NMAC, Division approves this unorthodox location.

The above approvals are subject to your following all other applicable Division rules.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of further orders as Division deems necessary.

ADRIENNE E. SANDOVAL
Division Director

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**Subject:** APPROVED NSLs\_Devon Energy Production L.P.\_Thoroughbred 10 3 Fed Com Well No. 621H and

711H\_SEC 3 26S 31E

**Attachments:** NSL-8033\_Thoroughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 621H\_SIGNED.pdf; NSL-8034\_Thoroughbred 10

3 Federal Com Well No. 711H SIGNED.pdf

Importance: High

Ms. Kaitlyn A. Luck,

The following NSL Administrative Orders have been issued and will soon be available on the Division's web site:

http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/Imaging/Default.aspx

NSL	AMD	Applicant	OGRID	WELL NAME	API#
8034	-	Devon Energy Production L.P.	6137	Thoroughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 711H	30-015-46477
8033	-	Devon Energy Production L.P.	6137	Thoroughbred 10 3 Federal Com Well No. 621H	30-015-46478

A copy of the approved orders are attached.

#### Leonard R. Lowe

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